

BILL NO. S-95-01-06

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-09-95

AN ORDINANCE approving the awarding of I.T.B. #7116 by the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Department of Purchasing and BROWN EQUIPMENT for the Street Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA;

SECTION 1. That I.T.B. #7116 between the City of Fort Wayne, by and through its Department of Purchasing and BROWN EQUIPMENT (bid award was not to the low bidder) for the Street Department, respectfully for:

the purchase of two (2) leaf vacuums for the Street Department;

involving a total cost of Forty-Four Thousand Four Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$44,400.00), all as more particularly set forth in said I.T.B. #7116, which is on file in the Office of the Department of Purchasing, and is by reference incorporated herein, made a part hereof, and is hereby in all things ratified, confirmed and approved.

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.


Council Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGALITY


J. Timothy McCaulay, City Attorney

Read the first time in full and on motion by Henry, seconded by _____, and duly adopted, read the second time by title and referred to the Committee on Finance (and the City Plan Commission for recommendation) and Public Hearing to be held after due legal notice, at the Common Council Conference Room 128, City-County Building, Fort Wayne, Indiana, on _____, 19____, at _____ o'clock _____ M., E.S.T.

DATED: 1-24-95

Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Read the third time in full and on motion by Henry, seconded by _____, and duly adopted, placed on its passage. PASSED Lost by the following vote:

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
TOTAL VOTES	<u>8</u>			<u>1</u>
BRADBURY	<u>✓</u>			
EDMONDS				<u>✓</u>
GIAQUINTA	<u>✓</u>			
HENRY	<u>✓</u>			
LONG	<u>✓</u>			
LUNSEY	<u>✓</u>			
RAVINE	<u>✓</u>			
SCHMIDT	<u>✓</u>			
TALARICO	<u>✓</u>			

DATED: 2-14-95

Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as (ANNEXATION) (APPROPRIATION) (GENERAL)

(SPECIAL) (ZONING) ORDINANCE RESOLUTION NO. S-09-95
on the 14th day of February, 1995

ATTEST:

(SEAL)

Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Don J. Schmitter
PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 15th day of February, 1995, at the hour of 11:45 o'clock A. M., E.S.T.

Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 20th day of February, 1995, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock A. M., E.S.T.

Paul Helmke
PAUL HELMKE, MAYOR

BILL NO. S-95-01-06

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON
FINANCE
THOMAS C. HENRY - CHAIR
MARK E. GIAQUINTA - VICE CHAIR
ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON FINANCE TO WHOM WAS

REFERRED AN (ORDINANCE) (~~RESOLUTION~~) approving the awarding
of I.T.B. #7116 by the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its
Department of Purchasing and BROWN EQUIPMENT for the Street Department

HAVE HAD SAID (ORDINANCE) (~~RESOLUTION~~) UNDER CONSIDERATION
AND BEG LEAVE TO REPORT BACK TO THE COMMON COUNCIL THAT SAID
(ORDINANCE) (~~RESOLUTION~~)

DO PASS

DO NOT PASS

ABSTAIN

NO REC

Thomas C. Henry
Mark E. Giaquinta
Alfred J. Levine
Mark E. Giaquinta

James H. Bradley
Ward Long

DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	ABSTAIN	NO REC

DATED: 2-14-95

Sandra E. Kennedy
City Clerk

MEMO

TO: PATTY COFFELT
FROM: BOB DINSE
DATE: 1/9/95
SUBJECT: ITB 7116/LEAF VACS

Patty, the following is a list of the deviations from the specs and some safety and maintenance concerns.

- 1) Pick-up hose- specs called for a fiber reinforced rubber hose @7.5 lbs/ft. Giant Vac has listed a polyurethane hose. I have spoken with several people about this and they all say these hoses only last a year or less.
- 2) Specs called for dual exhaust screens on the hopper. Giant Vac does not have this. This helps in reducing dust and particles from blowing out of the hopper.
- 3) Height of machine - Giant Vac has a bracket assembly that holds the spring that assists in the opening of the rear door during dumping that sticks up approx 12" above the top of the hopper. Specs called for a low profile assembly sticking up only 3". Communities I have spoken with have stated they have had this bracket hit limbs and get bent and usually also bends the rear door.
- 4) Trailer hitch - American roads has an adjustable hitch that can be moved up or down to accomodate the truck. Giant Vac is welded in place so the truck hitch would have to be altered to fit the machine. An adjustable hitch was called for in the specs.

MAINTENANCE CONCERNS

- 1) Although not specifically spelled out in the specs the axle setup on the Giant vac is some cause for concern. This machine has the three axles to the rear of the machine which makes it tongue heavy. There is also some concern about excessive tire wear because of this setup. The American roads machine has centered these axles to more evenly distribute the weight.

2) The American Roads engine has a two year warranty and the Giant Vac has only a one year. Again this wasn't required in the specs but we feel this is an added bonus.

SAFETY CONCERNS:

1) The main concern we have is with the lever that engages and disengages the clutch. On the Giant Vac the operator has to go between the truck and the machine to perform this function. This causes the operator to possibly leave the field of vision of the truck driver and we feel could cause an accident if the communication between the driver and operator was not what it should be. The American roads machine has this lever on the side of the machine thereby eliminating this concern.

REF. NO.:	7116
DEPT:	STD
DATE:	01/11/95
ITEM/SERVICE:	PURCHASE OF LEAF VACS
ADVERTISED BID:	YES
DATES ADVERTISED:	11/14/94 & 11/21/94
DATE OPENED:	12/01/94
SINGLE SOURCE:	NO
NO. OF VENDORS NOTIFIED:	5
NO. OF VENDORS RECEIVING BID:	4
NO. OF VENDORS RETURNING BID:	2
NO. OF VENDORS DISQUALIFIED:	0
NO. OF VENDORS NOT RESPONDING:	3
DATE SENT TO DEPT FOR RECOMM:	12/01/94
DATE RECOMM RECEIVED BACK:	01/09/95
DATE SENT TO LAW DEPT:	01/11/95
INTRODUCTION DATE:	01/24/95
DISCUSSION DATE:	02/07/95
PASSAGE DATE:	02/14/95

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LEAF VACUUMS
STREET DEPT
12/02/94

ITEM/DESCRIPT	BEST EQUIP	BROWN EQUIP
MAKE	GIANT VAC	AMER ROAD MACH
MODEL	TM-6600-D-TR-25	ALC-25
UNIT COST	\$19,971.00	\$22,200.00
TOTAL FOR 2	\$39,942.00	\$44,400.00
DELIVERY	60 DAYS	30-45 DAYS

DD APPROVAL: D



The City of Fort Wayne

MEMORANDUM

TO: CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

FROM: BOB DINSE, STREET DEPT. *Bob*
ANN SMITH, BOARD OF WORKS *Ann*

DATE: JANUARY 5, 1995

RE: I.T.B. NO 7116/LEAF VACS

95-01-06

The application for the purchase of two (2) self-contained, twenty-five cubic yard leaf vacs by the Street Department will be for the purpose of leaf collection during the annual leaf program. The machines will enable the Street Department to be more efficient in the collection process.

These are being purchased as part of the IDEM Matching Grant Program. Should you have any questions, please feel free to call Bob Dinse 427-1235 or Ann Smith 427-1339.

DIGEST SHEET

TITLE OF ORDINANCE: Special

DEPARTMENT REQUESTING ORDINANCE: Purchasing

SYNOPSIS OF ORDINANCE: An ordinance approving the award of I.T.B. No. 7116 for the purchase of two (2) leaf vacuums for the Street Department.

IF NOT LOWEST, WHO WAS AND WHY WERE THEY NOT AWARDED: Low bidder did not meet certain specifications as well as safety considerations. See attached "Exhibit A".

EFFECT OF PASSAGE: The purchase of the leaf vacuums will allow for more efficiency in the handling of the leaf program and these machines are being purchased under the IDEM Matching Grant Program.

IF REPLACEMENT, WHAT NECESSITATES:

EFFECT OF NON-PASSAGE: Will not be able to take advantage of the matching grant program.

MONIES INVOLVED: Brown Equipment \$44,400.00

PRICE AGREEMENT: PURCHASE ORDER: Yes

SOURCE OF FUNDING: Street Department 128-128-1201-4441

PRIOR APPROVAL: DATE:
(IF APPLICABLE)

Total amount spent as of 12/31/94: \$0.00